MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): I have already explained that. A man who is permanently entertained as Accountant has to furnish the full security, and one who is only acting, has to furnish half security.

MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*): And has Mr. K. P. John furnished the full security?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): He must have furnished the security. The amount is given in the statement itself.

MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*): And was it the fault of Mr. Paramesvaran Pillai that the security was not furnished?

PRESIDENT: That question does not arise.

Prohibition against the plying of buses on the Kayankulam-Nangiyarkulangara road.

155. **MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN** (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*): Will the Government be pleased to state whether the service buses on the Alleppey-Quilon line are not allowed to run on the Kayankulam-Nangiyarkulangara road, and, if so, the reason for the same?

MR. A. KUMARA PILLAI (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): No. The road in its present condition is fit only for light traffic, as the iron girder bridge at Kayankulam has been dismantled for reconstruction. The only bridge remaining is the old fish market bridge which is not fit for heavy bus traffic.

MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*): It is stated in the answer that the only bridge remaining is the old fish-market bridge which is not fit for *heavy-bus* traffic. Have the Government any objection in allowing *light-bus* traffic on the road?

MR. A. KUMARA PILLAI (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): The width of the bridge is so small that it will not allow sufficient space for bus traffic.—

MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*): May I know whether the bridge could not be used even for light eight-seaters?

MR. A. KUMARA PILLAI (*Ag. Secreary to Government*): No, it is not possible.

Statement, by caste, of the Provertikars and Pakuthi Accountants in Kalkulam and Vilavankod taluks.

156. **MR. R. S. SUBRAHMANYA PILLAI** (*Kalkulam* cum *Vilavankod*): Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table:

(*a*) a statement, by caste, of the total number of Provertikars as well as of Pakuthi Accountants in the Kalkulam and Vilavankod taluks; and

(*b*) a statement of the total number of recruits to the posts, separately, from members of each community in each of the years from 1103-1106?

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